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WEATHER REPORT.

Showers and warmer tonight; Sunday cloudy.
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Sun rises 5:10, sun sets 6:45.

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MAKE HOSTAGES OF AMERICANS

Only United States Army Can Liberate Imprisoned Persons.

REPORT EXECUTIONS.

Americans Appeal to O'Shaughnessy For Aid as He Passes Through Mexico on His Way Home.

Chicago, April 25.—Twenty refugees, nineteen of them Americans, and one a British subject, are believed to have been executed following their capture by Huerta's men near the 155,000-acre plantation of the Motozorongo Company, of Chicago, in Mexico late Friday.

Secretary of State Bryan wired Dr. Herbert A. Parkyn, of Chicago, president of the company, today, telling of the seizure nad probable execution of the party. A. M. Turner, of Chicago, is believed to be one of the twenty shot.

Turner was sent to the plantation by the company to order the force to seek protection in case of trouble, but from Bryan's message it is thought he arrived too late.

Bryan's dispatch names a majority of the party captured.

Juarez, Mexico, April 25.—General Villa wil openly break with General Carranza, supreme chief of the constitutionalists, and join forces with the United States to secure the destruction of Huerta, before he will permit his men to join Carranza in any scheme looking toward a combination with the "assassin of Madero."

This, declare the constitutionalists' closest friends here, has been made plain in the last twenty-four hours by Vila himself.

"Amigos," he said, discussing the Carranza note, "it was a great mistake. But I am only a subordinate officer and I don't believe it best that I should give out my views yet."

The addition of the word "yet" is believed by observers to indicate a breach between Villa and Carranza, if the latter persists in his attitude toward the United States.

"I not only do not want to allow myself to be dragged into a war with the United States, as an ally of that worthless drunkard, and assassin, Huerta, but I will do all I can to prevent a war," Villa continued.

Villa's friends here declare the present indications are the United States will not be compelled to fight a united Mexican nation and they insist that Villa is responsible. He insists that his army will do as he says and that he says they will not fight Americans.

Washington, April 25.—Secretary Bryan today notified Ambassador Spring-Rice of the reported arrest of a British subject at Orizaba. He was one of twenty foreign railroad employes nineteen of them Americans, who were reported arrested there. Mr. Bryan denied the report that these pioneers had been executed, and stated that the Brazilian consulate has been appealed to in order to obtain their release.

Vera Cruz, Mexico, April 25.—Every interior city of Mexico is holding American prisoners as hostages. With the exception of Charge Nelson O'Shaughnessy, every member of the diplomatic party arriving at Vera Cruz from Mexico City last night, privately expressed the opinion that only the early arrival of troops in the capital and the overthrow of the dictator Huerta will save the marooned Americans.

At almost every town between Vera Cruz and Mexico City, Americans are being held prisoners.

This I learned from meeting O'Shaughnessy and his party four miles from Vera Cruz, where they were transferred from the special train furnished by Huerta to the American train that bore them into this city.

The passage of O'Shaughnessy's train from the capital was dramatic. The charge, with his wife and son, Consul General Shanklin, and members of the embassy staff left Mexico City at midnight. Mobs were then in front of the embassy.

At the stations, Americans besieged the train, pleading that they be permitted to accompany the fleeing party Col. Ramon Caraona, assigned by Huerta to escort O'Shaughnessy from the city, flatly refused.

Before the departure, Huerta sent 200 soldiers to ethe embassy to seize the 275 rifles and 2 machine guns which were stored there for the defense of the American citizens. The American volunteer guards were expected to defend their arms, but on the advice of O'Shaughnessy surrendered the weapons without resistance.

Then began the trip from Vera Cruz, during which the heart of every one in the diplomatic party were to be touched by the appeals of countrymen for aid. At the town of Orozaba Cordova, and Jalapa, Americans were crowded about the stations. They pleaded with the American charge to be taken aboard his train. O'Shaughnessy was helpless. These stranded Americans had been taken from trains bound for Vera Cruz.

At Tejera, the last station before reaching the American lines, Oshaughnessy saw several Americans who had been taken off trains. They pleaded piteously to be carried the remaining thirty miles to safety. They to O'Shaughnessy that they had been on a refugee train which left Mexico City Thursday morning. Some of the party had been sent clear back to the capital. Their train had passed O'Shaughnessy's during the night.

When O'Shaughnessy left the capital Heurta had ordered that no more Americans be permitted to depart or enter the city. This order prevents unprotected Americans in the small town to hold the American civilians there may be in the capital. It also makes it possible for every small town to hold the Amerocan civilians as hostages.

Huerta ordered that the homes of all Americans be searched for arms and Thursday night the American residents of all hotels were stripped of arms. The pretectorate established by Sir Lionel Carden, the British Ambassador, was unavailing in this matter, as the vindictive dictator was determined Americans should have no means of defense in case of an uprising against them, which he will accept as a demonstration of sympathy and support for him.

DEATH OF A VETERAN.

James H. Posey, 83 years old, a veteran of the Mexican War of 1846, died at the home of his son-in-law, Frederick G. Ayres, on Prince St., near Fayette, last night. He was a cabinet maker and is survived by two children, Mrs. Gertrude M. Ayers, and William B. Posey. The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon.

EVENT IN PYTHIAN CIRCLES.

Class of Thirty-Five to be Initiated on Next Tuesday Night.

Tuesday night, April 28, will be a big night in Pythian circles of Alexandria. Oriental Lodge, No. 6, of this city, has organized a class of thirty-five novices who will be initiated into the mysteries of the order. The degree work will be conferred by a specially selected team from Washington which will be accompanied to this city by William Carver's Co., No 7, Uniformed Rank of the Knights of Pythias. The visitors will be met at Payne street by the members of the local lodge and headed by the band of the American Indian Guards, the visitors will be escorted to the Young People's building where the initiatory work will be performed. A banquet will be served in the same place by the wives and sisters of the members of Oriental Lodge. Grand Chancellor Benjamin Baer, of Luray, Va., is expected to attend the ceremonies.

First Week Closes Today

Don't hold back but send your Hospital Subscription at once. It will encourage others.

PRECAUTIONS AT THE BORDER

Cabinet, After Session, Frowns on More Activity At Present.

MEXICANS BURN TOWN

Many of Them Fall When American Machine Guns And Rifles Got Into Action Yesterday.

Washington, April 25.—"Sit tight at Vera Cruz, watch the border and prepare for contingencies." A cabinet officer told the foregoing and said it succinctly described present Mexican policy of President Wilson. From other sources it was learned that the decision of the President and his cabinet, at the end of a two-hour session, was to follow, for the time being, such a policy as indicated.

Laredo, Tex., April 25.—Nuevo Laredo, the thriving Mexican border town opposite here, is in ruins, having been devasted by dynamite and fire by Mexican federal soldiers who yesterday began an orgy of destruction which did not end until they were forced to flee southward before the guns of the American border patrol.

Two Mexicans are known to have bene killed by the United States troops and several were seen to fall when a machine gun platoon from Fort McIntosh got into action. Several skirmishes between the Americans and Mexicans were fought in quick succession as the Mexicans—their troop trains ready to pull out of the burning city—began an indiscriminate fire across the international boundary: but there was no evidence that the shooting had been effective.

Property damage in Nuevo Laredo will reach $500,000.

Late last night the fire still was burning, with no chance that it would be controlled until everything inflammable had bene wiped out. Kerosene and other combustibles liberally used, added to the wreckage which otherwise would not have been great, owing to the adobe construction largely used.

There was no property loss in Laredo. Both international bridges are safe, though efforts to dynamite them resulted in the death of tw omen engaged in the undertaking.

SHOE STORE ROBBED.

A thief entered the shoe store of Theo. Recche, at 80 King street at 2 o'clock this morning and stole seven pairs of shoes which had been left to be repaired. Entrance was made through a back window. Policemen Rawlett and Nicholson saw the man leave the building and gave chase. The thief dropped the shoes and made his escape.

NOTICE.

All persons transacting business or practicing a profession in this city for which a State license is required (other than liquor) are hereby given due notice that application for same must be made to the Commissioner of Revenue, Room No. 7, City Hall, on or before the 1st day of May.

Merchants, Land Agents, Eating Houses, and others from whom reports are exacted by law as a basis for license, and who have not heretofore done so, are again notified, as they have previously been by letter to send in their statements at once and avoid penalties, which the law requires shall be added after 1st of May. This notice is final.

CHARLES H. CALLAHAN,
Commissioner of Revenue.

"SPINSTERS' CONVENTION."

Boy Scouts to Give Performance to Aid Hospital Fund.

Parts in "The Spinsters' Convention," the play to be given by Troop No. 2, Boy Scouts of this city, were assigned at a meeting of the troop held last night at the Westminster Building. The play is to be given Friday and Saturday nights, the 15th and 16th of May at Westminster Hall, and the affair promises to be a big success in every way. The cast of characters includes some twenty old maids and a professor, whose parts are all taken by the boys of this troop, and much interest is being manifested by the "female impersonators." Half the proceeds from the play are to go to the hospital fund, the other half to the uniform fund of the troop. Admission to the play will be twenty-five cents all over the house.

Mr. E. B. Prettyman, who so sucessfully staged "Everystudent" and "The Princess," the two High School plays has kindly taken over the work of drilling and coaching the players in their lines and acting, and also will get up the stage effect. The costuming and music has been assigned to two ladies of this city, who have kindly offered their services. Dr. J. H. Bitzer, scoutmaster of the troop, is business manager of the production. The work on the play is already under way, and the first rehearsal will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 in the Westminster Building. All scouts who have been assigned parts in this play are requested to be present with their lines at this rehearsal.

Morgan Ready to Give up Will.

J. Pierpont Morgan, of Washington, is ready to give up the Martha Washington will stolen from Fairfax county according to announcement made at the D. A. R. Convention in Washington today.

Morgan makes two propositions:

One was that the State of Virginia or Fairfax county should place the original will of George Washington on exhibition at Mt. Vernon for an indefinite period, and that if this were done he would present the will of Martha Washington to the Mount Vernon Association for permanent exhibition there. The other was that should the Virginia authorities not be willing to do this the will of George Washington should be presented to the Library of Congress, and that he would in turn present the will of Martha Washington to the nation for the same disposition.

EDITOR TO BE ORATOR.

Major Hemphill to Deliver Address on Confederate Memorial Day.

Major J. C. Hemphill, one of the best known newspaper men in the U. S., formerly editor of the Richmond-Times-Dispatch, has been selected as the orator for Confederate Memorial Day in this city. The exercises will be held on the afternoon of May 25th, on account of the 24th falling on Sunday this year.

MASONIC NOTICE.

A called communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge, No. 22, A. F. & A. M., will be held Monday night, April 27th, at 7:30 P. M., for work.

By order of Worshipful Master.
A. G. UHLER, Secty.
25 2t

The Citizens' National bank through its officers will be glad to receive subscriptions from its patrons and friends to the Hospital fund, delivering the same to the committee daily.

AFTER DELINQUENT STATE TAXPAYERS

State Auditor Moore Prods Treasurers to Enforce Collections.

TO SETTLE BY JUNE 1st.

It is Alleged That About Seven Per Cent Taxes Due Commonwealth is Delinquent.

Richmond, April 25.—State Auditor C. Lee Moore addressed yesterday to the county and city treasurers of Virginia an urgent circular regarding the collection of taxes for 1913. In a delicate manner Mr. Moore calls attention to the fact that the per cent of taxes returned last year as delinquent was large, and urges the treasurers to employ all the implements put in their hands by law to collect taxes when they fall due. While Mr. Moore does not state the fact in his circular, the collection of delinquent taxes is a much more profitable employment to the collector than the collection of ordinary taxes.

The law requires the treasures to make final settlements with the Auditor of Public Accounts before June 15 for the taxes of 1913 placed in their hands for collection. Excepted from this requirement are taxes on real estate, personal property and capitations improperly assessed and delinquent taxes. The reports on these two classes are not required until September 15.

For 1912 the county and city treasurers returned delinquent State taxes on real estate amounting to $92,925.17, nearly 5 per cent of all the State taxes assessed on real estate, and delinquent personal taxes to the amount of $48,572.57, more than 7 per cent of all the State taxes assessed on personal property.

"This communication is sent to you as an earnest appeal that you will use every effort, employing the powers conferred upon you by law, to enforce collections so as to reduce to the minimum the taxes assessed for 1913 on real estate and personal property which must be returned delinquent," says Mr. Moore in the circular.

"I am sure you gentlemen will be impressed with the care that has been provided in the law to insure the minimum delinquent return of taxes and levies. The intent of the law is to allow no tax or levy to be returned delinquent which can possibly be collected, requiring each item on the list to be scrutinized as hereinbefore set forth, and to guarantee that no taxes and levies will be returned delinquent which could have possibly been collected, the treasurers have been clothed with extraordinary powers to enforce payment."

BOY SCOUTS' TAG DAY.

At a meeting held last night of Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America, it was decided to hold a tag day some time in May for the benefit of the new Hospital. It is earnestly hoped that every one will help the Scouts in this work. Troop No. 1 offers a challenge to any troop in the city of Alexandria, District of Columiba and Maryland to the following scout activities: Wood craft, practical telegraphy, bringing first aid to the injured, stretcher, cooking, fireman lift, fire making without matches, describe ten tree or plants, signalling semaphore and wig wag, pyramid building and artifical respiration and path finding.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Friendship Council held an interesting meeting last night. One candidate was initiated. The good of the order committee has changed the place of the dance which takes place Tuesday night, from McBurneys Hall to I. O. O. F., Hall on north Columbus street.

High class moving pictures and vaudeville at the Opera House tonight. Come and enjoy an entertainment worth while.

FIRE AT GLASS WORKS.

Plant of the Virginia Company in West End Suffers From Another Conflagraton.

Fire broke out in the Virginia Glass Works in West End about half past 3 o'clock this afternoon, which soon assumed dangerous headway. Part of the Alexandria Fire Department repaired to the scene and every effort was made to subdue the flames. The buildings, however, were considerably damaged.

During the time the fire was in progres became necessary to cut off the supply of electricity furnished by the County Lighting Company, which occasoned a temporary inconvenience at plants operated by this power.

VIRGINIANS AWAIT ORDERS.

Military Companies of State Expect to be called Out Within Forty-Eight Hours.

(Special Dispatch to Gazette.)

Richmond, Va., April 25.—Belief is expressed today among military men that within the next forty-eight hours every commanding officer in the state will receive instructions to proceed to recruit his command to full war strength, which will be a total of one hundred and eight men for each company of infantry. Orders have been issued for the shipment of all tentage of the Virginia companies from Virginia Beach to this city at once, where it will be stored and held in readiness for use when necessary.

MRS. WILSON WINS SUIT.

Corporation Court Decides in Her Favor Against Poultry Show.

The appeal of the Agricultural and Live Stock Association of Northern Virginia from a decision of Justice Julius Pelton, who awarded an electric stove to Mrs. H. P. Wilson, formerly of New York, now a resident of Fairfax county, was decided by Judge Louis C. Barley, in the Corporation Court today, in favor of Mrs. Wilson.

Mrs. Wilson was one of the exhibitors in the Poultry Show which was recently held by the association. She received a number of prizes, but the prize of an electric stove which had been offered by the Alexandria County Lighting Company for the best exhibit of "a user of electric current" was not given her on the grounds that her name was not on the books of the company.

She entered suit against the association and its officers for the stove and it was awarded her by Justice Pelton. The evidence showed that she was a user of electric current.

In the hearing of the case today Mrs. Wilson was representd by Howard W. Smith and Samul G. Brent, and the association by James R. and H. B. Caton and H. Noel Garner.

Mrs. Wilson has announced her intention of giving all of her prizes to the Children's Home.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edmonds desire to express their sincere thanks for the many kind deeds and acts of sympathy expressed during their sad affliction caused by the death of their daughter, Ruth.

ENTHUSIASM FOR HOSPITAL FUND

Alexandria Shows Same Determined Purpose as in Other Movements.

NOW REACHES $11,862.

Collections Committee Expects to Have One-Third Amount Needed Subscribed by Monday.

The most sanguine members of the executive committee were surprised as well as pleased at the manner in which contributions poured in on Friday. The sum contributed up to this morning was $11,862.00 and there are numerous other large contributions that are expected. The people of Alexandria have determined to have a modern hospital and it is well known that whenever Alexandria makes up its mind to do anything, from having a parade to building a sewer, or a hospital, it always accomplishes what it undertakes.

The main thing now is for the people to get their subscriptions in as fast as possible. The committee hopes that at least one-third of the entire amount needed will be subscribed before Monday at noon as it is their purpose to publish the names of the subscribers on Monday afternoon.

As an instance of the interest taken by even the smallest children, the following story is told. A little boy, between three and four years old told his uncle that he had to have $10.00. His uncle asked him how he expected to get it and what it was for. He said it was for the hospital fund and that he intended to work for it and he didn't want anyone to give it to him. Being asked what he would do to earn it, he said "Black Shoes." "Why you can't black shoes." "Yes I can. You put your shoe up here.' He took a cloth out of his pocket and wiped the dust off the shoe very nicely. Then he was asked where his blacking brush and blacking was. "I ain't got none, but I will ask mamma to get it for me, and if she doesn't do it I can sell newspapers."

The public and private schools are to make their report tomorrow and all are requested to remember the fact and use their best efforts to make as large a contribution as possible. It is very gratifying to know that the children are so enthused in this work and are actively advertising the movement for the new hospital. The Sunday Schools are not expected to make their contributions until next Sunday, May 3rd, but all who intend to make contributions are urged to send in their subscriptions, so as to make the list to be published on Monday, as large as possible.

Parties who haven't blanks can obtain the same by telephoning the Chamber of Commerce or through any member of the committee. Those intending to make contributions are requested to telephone the amount to headquarters, at the Chamber of Commerce so that their contributions can be added to the list when issued.

THE LATE J. W. PEYTON.

The funeral of the late John William Peyton, who died Thursday afternoon at his home at Rapidan, took place yesterday afternoon. The deceased was seventy-five years old, and had been postmaster at Rapidan for over fifty years. He is survived by a widow and five children, and the following brothers and sisters, Mr. Phillip B. Peyton, and Mrs. Lucie Peyton Luckett, of Alexandria, Messrs. A. N. Peyton and F. B. Peyton, of Charlottesville, Mrs. Genevieve Peyton Grimes, of Norfolk, Va., and Mr. George I. Peyton, of Rapidan. The following nephews of the deceased acted as pallbearers, Phillip P. Peyton and Herbert Peyton, of Charlottesville, Phillip B. Peyton, Jr., Samuel B. Luckett and John J. Luckett, of Alexandria, and George W. Peyton, of Rapidan.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Final arrangements are being made for the Old Folks' Concert which will be given next Tuesday evening in the Westminster Building by members of the Second Presbyterian Church choir, assisted by a number of prominent Washington and Alexandria soloists. A large chorus under the direction of Mr. William E. Starnell, of Washington, D. C. will give several selections and a number of accompanying chorus effects will be rendered.

Besides the concert, Statuary Hall will be an added attraction. Greek statues will be posed for by a number of young ladies and a classic collection has been arranged.

Miss Marian Lindsey has returned to her home in Braddock after a visit with Mrs. E. F. Crenshaw, in Orange, Virginia.

On Tuesday evening, May 5th, the members of the Alexandria German Club will be given a return dance by the young ladies who attended the Germans given by that organization during the past season. The affair will be given in Elks' Hall.

A musical tea was given yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Katherine Lindsey, at Braddock Heights. The affair was for the benefit of the Alexandria Hospital, under the direction of Misses Mary Lindsey and Esther Green. Mrs. Wallace Lindsey poured tea and Miss Ada Garrett presided at the punch-bowl.

Among those participating in the musical program were Mrs. Edgar Carpenter, Mrs. George E. Warfield, Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler, Misses Marian Lindsey, Marguerite Field, Lola Ashton, Hilda Schneider, Mary Lindsey, Katherine Waller and Mr. Edgar LeBlanch.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A delightful surprise party was given last night at the home of Mrs. L. B. Wells, 621 Duke street, by Misses Blanche Merchant and Ethel Meade, to Miss Dorthy Wells. Numerous games were played and at nine o'clock a supmtuous supper was served. Those present were: Misses Ethel Meade, Blanche Merchant, Ethel Jewel, Mary Meade, Eleanor Mander, May Mander, Margaret Taylor, Ruth Merchant, Helen Clark, Rosa Wilkins, Freda Heintz, and Messrs. Gordon Jones, Bennie Posey, James Deeton, Milford Elliott, Wille Berryman, Wm. Wells, Joseph Wells, Robert Merchant, John Drew, Wilmer Meade, Lewis Wells, Mrs. Merchant, Mrs. Heintz, Mrs. Wells, and Mr. Fred Vola.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

Virginia Lodge of Moose Welcomes New Dictator.

One of the largest and most enthusiastic meetings of Virginia Lodge, No. 1076 Loyal Order of Moose, was held last night in their hall on King street, the occasion being the exemplification of the degrees of the order and a visit of the Deputy Supreme Dictator, J. H. Harrington, who installed the newly elected officers. The Moose have shown great activity over the entire country in the last year, and Virginia lodge expects this year to rank first in membership among the lodges in this district. Dr. J. T. Ashton is the retiring director and William L. Rammel assumes the position for the coming year. A buffet supper and smoker was held after which the members visited the Alexandria Motor Boat Carnival in a body. The visiting members left on the 11:10 train for Washington.

NOTICE I. O. O. F.

The members of Potomac Lodge No. 38 and Sarepta Lodge No. 46, I. O. O. F, are requested to meet at Odd Fellows Hall, Sunday evening, April 26, at 7:30 in order to attend the memorial services at Grace Episcopal Church celebrating the ninety-fifth anniversary of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

By order of the Noble Grand.
N. WILLIAMSON, Secretary.

In Conclusion

This concludes my season's ad and I have had my say.
And business it has brightened up,
for things have come my way;
I'm thanking those who gave me trade, the regular and recruit,
I am ready now with my tape line to measure for your suit.

Come and look over my samples. I have patterns that will please you.

John G. Henshaw
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AT YOUR SERVICE.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

"Everystudent" and "The Princess" to be Repeated at the Opera House for Hospital Fund

The two High School plays, "Everystudent" and "The Princess," which were so creditably produced April 2 and 3, at Westminster Hall by the A. H. S. players, will be repeated next Friday night at the Opera House for the benefit of the new Hospital fund. No change has been made in the cast since the last production, and the players still have their lines well in hand, thus only two rehearsals will be needed to get everything into smooth running order. The expense of producing the two plays will not be quite as heavy this time, as the Opera House has been secured at a very small price. The High School confidently expects to be able to hand every cent taken in at the box office to the Hospital committee, as the small expense of producing the play is to be made up for by advertising on the program for the plays. The advertisements on the front page of the program are divided up into inch squares at fifty and seventy-five cents, and the "ad." of every merchant in the city is solicited, as by reducing the expenses of the play in this manner, more money will be able to be turned over for the hospital fund. The whole back page will probably be sold to a firm of this city.

A member of the committee for raising the $50,000, with which to build the new Hospital, will speak between one of the scenes, and candy will also be sold by the High School Athletic Association between the scenes. Tickets to the play can be secured at Allen's drug store and from any of the High School faculty or student body at 35 cents. Seats can be reserved at Allen's and at the box office on the night of the production for fifteen cents extra. Tickets are not sold to the gallery, but admission to upstairs can be secured for twenty-five cents at the box office. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:15 P. M.

Track Men Go to Lexington.

Two of the Alexandria High School track team men, Eldon Raison and William Boswell accompanied by Mr. Blanton, left yesterday afternoon for Lexington, Va., where they are competing in a track meet to be held by Washington and Lee University there today. Success is hoped for them. They will return Monday.

Literary Society Meets Tonight.

The regular meeting of the Alexandria High school Literary Society will be held tonight at 7:30. All members are requested to be present. The subject for debate is "Resolved, That the work of a literary society, including dramatics, is of educational value to a high school." Miss Mildred Callahan and Miss Sorah Cox will debate affirmative, and Miss Nina Fulton and Lawrence Fawcett, negative. The debate is expected to be very interesting, and the public is cordially invited to attend this meeting and any of the other meetings held by the society. Declamations will be rendered by Gus Phol, Miss Madeline Martin, and Miss Ruth LeHew.

Second Team Defeats Washington School.

The A. H. S. Second team defeated George Washington School team of this city, Thursday afternoon, at the park by the score of 8 to 3. The game was very close up to the fifth, but after that time the High School team cut loose and piled up a number of runs against their opponents. The features of the game were the fielding of Pohl and the pitching of Reardon for the High School. Pohl, assisted by Warfield, doubled a man on a long fly from the butfield

The line-up was as follows:

A. H. S.—	
Bitzer	2b
Barnett	ss
Reardon	p
Fawcett	c

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A Strange Melody, 2 reels—Lubin.

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DANGEROUS AIR RIFLE

Two Small Boys Injured by Juvenile Nimrods on South Washington Street Today

Officer Roland this afternoon arrested two boys living on South Washington street, who, it is alleged, wounded two other boys with air rifles. The boys were liberated to appear before the Police Court on Monday morning. One of the victims of this dangerous playting was struck on the finger by a shot and painfully hurt, and the other was wounded on the chin.

The Gazette during the past few months has called attention to the introduction in Alexandria of the juvenile toy, but it it still used in our city with impunity. Richmond, Norfolk, Ptersburg, and other cities in Virginia have been forced to use heroic measures in order to safeguard communities where parents allow their children such playthings. In Richmond, Justice Crutchfield, in a case before his court recently, decided that the father was responsible for his child's conduct, and if he allows his offspring to go into the public streets with an air or spring gun or any such dangerous device, the parent would be held responsible. He therefore imposed a fine of $10 upon the boy's father.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of my dear nephew, EDWARD ERNEST PADGETT, who departed this life ten years ago today, April 25, 1914. Gone but not forgotten.

AUNT BESSIE.

Warfield	1b
Boswell, Curtin	rf
Pohl	cf
Travers	3b
Summers	lf
G. W. S.—	
Keene	ss
Kelly, Fegan	1b
Hall	rf
King, Kelly	2b
Simpson	3b
Stephens	c
Driefus	cf
Hall, King	p
Dawson	lf

First Team Victory.

A hard and close fought game was staged at the park Wednesday when the first High School team played St. John's College of Washington. The game, which was a thrilling fight from start to finish, ended in High School's favor 5 to 4. The High School played with their usual line-up and Raison and Haynes as their battery.

Second Team Loses to St. John.

The second team lost a hard-fought up-hill game to St. John's College second team yesterday at Washington by the score of 12 to 11. The second team put up a crackerjack game against the Washington team except for their one bad inning, the seventh, when S. John's piled up six runs against them. The game was lost to the High School by the one bad decision by the umpire was called a ball plainly foul by about ten yards, fair, and this let in four runs for St. John's. The High School put its usual line-up against St. John's with Barnett in the box and Fawcett catching.

A meeting of the General Athletic Association was held Wednesday in Miss Hoffman's room. Tickets were distributed for the pupils to sell, to the game which was to be played Friday with Fredericksburg College, and a good game was expected for that date. Fredericksburg, however, after written notice that the team would come up, telegraphed Manager Gulland yesterday morning, canceling the game. The tickets were returned.

There will be a doubleheader at the park today when the first team will line-up against the strong Steward's Business College team of Washington, and the second team will play Thompson School, of Washington.

FLEISCHMANN' A' LA CARTE LUNCH.

The following menu will be served at luncheon from 12 to 2 o'clock on Monday.

Vegetable Soup, 15c.
Fried Potomac Shad, 25c.
Shad Roe and Bacon, 35c.
Roast Beef, 25c. Roast Pork, 25c.
Frankfurter and Sauer Kraut, 25c.
Pork and Beans, 25c.
Spinach and Bacon, 25c.
Mashed Potatoes, 10c.
Asparagus, 10c.
Sliced Tomatoes, 15c.
Baked Sweet Potatoes, 10c.
Apple Sauce, 10c.
Assorted Pies, 5c Slice.
Tea, 10c. Cocoa, 10c. Coffee, 10c.
Milk, 5c.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION

DETECTIVE ASKS FOR $8,500.

Files Claim With Government for Capturing Fay and Harris.

Richmond, April 25.—Luther L. Scherer, general claim agent of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, has filed a claim against the Federal government for $8,500 for his services rendered in effecting the arrest of "Little Dick" Harris and Eddie Fay, and recovering $67,000 in stamps which they stole when they looted the Richmond postoffice in 1910. The subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Claims on Thursday gave a hearing in the case.

The arrest of Harris and Fay, who are notorious cracksmen, and the recovery of most of the stolen stamps was regarded as a remarkable piece of detective work. It was directed by Mr. Scherer,, who traced them by means of baggage checks. They were caught at the Grand Central Station in New York, after they had apparently eluded all pursuit from Richmond.

They were brought back, tried in the United States District Court, convicted, heavily fined and each sentenced to serve ten years in the Atlanta penitentiary, where they now are.

The stamps stolen were worth $85,000, but $18,000 of them were never traced. A third man is believed to have made good his escape with them. Recently Congress passed a resolution freeing Edgar Allan, Jr., postmaster at the time of the robbery, of any responsibility. The government also instituted suit to recover the amount of the missing stamps from Fay, who is said to own real estate in Seattle, Wash.

SHOE FACTORIES MERGED.

Craddock-Terry Company, of Lynchburg, Acquires St. Louis Plants.

Lynchburg, Va., April 25.—Announcement is made here that negotiations have been consumated whereby the Craddock-Terry Shoe Company, of Lynchburg, acquires the manufacturing and wholesale shoe business of Burrow Jones & Syer Shoe Company, of St. Louis, and with it the Kauth-Reith Shoe Company, of that city. The first named company has an established business of $2,500,000 annually, with factories located at St. Louis and Louisiana, Mo. In the future these plants will manufacture shoes heretofore bought by the Craddock-Terry Company for Southern trade. W. F. McElroy and W. M. Sloan, of St. Louis, come to the Craddock-Terry Company, but will remain in St. Louis.

John W. Craddock, president, and George Mahon, auditor of the Craddock-Terry Company, are now in St. Louis perfecting the details of the consolidation.

MURDERER BREAKS JAIL.

Man Awaiting Electrocution Escapes to the Mountain.

Clifton Forge, Va., April 25.—Harvey D. Looney, escaped from the Craig County Jail, at New Castle, yesterday, and is still at large. Looney was convicted at the last term of court of the murder of O. M. Martin, police sergeant, of New Castle, and sentenced to be electrocuted June 26.

His escape was not detected until Sheriff Smith went to his cell to take him his dinner. A posse is in pursuit of the prisoner, who is believed to have reached the mountains. Looney sawed the bars of his cell with tools believed to have been furnished by friends.

In the presence of his wife, Chas. W. Metzgar, 54 years old, 1826 Calvert street northwest Washington, drank carbolic acid yesterday and died in a few minutes. Mr. Metzgar had been engaged in newspaper work in Washington for many years. He had been in poor health recently.

Just Received
Old Virginia
Peanut
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15c the pound
The Rexall Store
Taylor's Pharmacy

REFUSES TO ADOPT LIST.

Price Scandal Causes Row Between Board and Publishing Houses.

Richmond, April 25.—After months of study and deliberation, the State Board of Education has announced the list of text books "preferred" to be used in the public schools of Virginia during the next few years. The list was given out accompanied by the specific declaration that none of the books are finally adopted, but are merely recommended because of the fact that the prices quoted by the publishers were believed to be exorbitant.

It was declared at yesterday's board meeting that the publishers are, in many instances, asking much higher prices for books in Virginia than in other sections of the country. This aroused the ire of the board, but in order not longer to delay the selection of the list, tentative selections were made, and a committee appointed to confer with the publishers to effect a compromise in prices.

The following resolutions were adopted in reference to the price scandal.

1. That this board, without at this time, adopting any books or obligating itself to adopt any books for use in the public schools of this State, declares its preference for the following books.

2. That, in the opinion of this board, the prices asked by the publishers for said books are too high.

3. That a special committee of three be appointed to negotiate with publishers, with a view of obtaining lower prices for all books offered for use in the public schools of this State.

4. That when said committee is ready to report, the president is requested to call a meeting of this board to consider further action.

The committee of three was named as follows: Superintendent Stearnes Governor Stuart and Attorney-General Pollard.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH.

Set Fire to Hay While Playing in Loft of Their Father's Barn.

Warsaw, Va., April 25.—Two children, aged 2 and 4 years, of Zeph Obier, at Lodge, Northumberland county, were burned to death yesterday morning in a fire which destroyed their father's barn.

The children, in some unaccountable way, obtained some matches, went into the barn loft and set the hay on fire. Their bodies were burned to a crisp. Their frantic parents reached the scene of the fire and heard the cries of the children, but were unable to rescue them.

The nomination of Robert H. Terrell, a negro, as municipal judge for the District of Columbia, was confirmed last night by the Senate. The nomination had been held up for two months, being vigorously opposed by Senators Vardaman and Smith, of South Carolina, and other Southerners. Last night Senators urging confirmation declined to pass Terrell's name on the list of nominations and a vote was forced.

An agreement between France and England as to what position the two countries would take in regard to the war between Mexico and the United States is believed to have been reached at a series of conferences held between Sir Edward Grey, British foreign minister, and Premier Doumergue. Sir Edward said he believed the United States was on the point of taking a step in Mexico that all thoughtful men in Europe would approve.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator W. W. A of the estate of August H. Oehlert, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present same to me properly certified, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with me.

SAMUEL P. FISHER,
15 10t. Administrator, W. W. A.

REFUSES TO HOLD GRANT.

Florida Man, Charged With Embezzlement, Released by Order of Governor.

Richmond, April 25.—H. A. Grant, arrested here several days ago on a charge of embezzlement and making false entries in an establishment in Jacksonville, Fla., will not have to return to that State unless he feels so disposed.

Yesterday Sheriff W. H. Dowling, of that city, came here with a requisition for the man, he having been bailed for his appearance immediately after being arrested, and he appeared with Detectives Wiltshire and Bailey in the office of the Governor, accompanied by counsel.

Governor Stuart heard the case, heard all that the sheriff had to say and examined the warrants sent with the requisition. He decided that the case was one for the civil courts and not for criminal procedure, directing that Mr. Grant be released from custody.

NAMES MAY 4 AS BIRDDAY.

Proclamation Issued Calling on People to Honor Birthday of Audubon.

Richmond, April 25.—Governor Stuart has designated Monday, May 4, the birthday of John James Audubon, America's greatest naturalist, as "Bird Day" for the State of Virginia in a proclamation issued from the Capitol. The Governor suggests that the public schools of the State signalize the day by explaining to the scholars the bird laws and the reasons why song birds should not be killed, and why birds nests should not be molested.

Amherst Woman Killed.

Lynchburg, Va., April 25.—In the list published in the Advance Monday of 125 American citizens who were murdered in 1913 by Mexican federals, rebels and bandits appeared the name of Mrs. E. W. Holmes, who was killed by a shell during the bombardment of Mexico City in February of last year. This lady was for a time a resident of Amherst county. She came here in 1911 with her husband from Tennessee, and they bought a tract of twenty-six acres about two miles east of Winesap, on which they built a bungalow. They sold the property in the fall of 1912 to Mr. J. C. Price, of this city, and then went to Ohio, soon afterwards leaving for Mexico City, where Mr. Holmes had charge of an agency for a well known typewriter with headquarters in Mexico City. Mrs. Holmes made many friends while living in Amherst county, being a lady of refinement and culture, and those who have heard of her death regret that she should have left Amherst county.

Struck by a motor truck of the Consolidated Gas Electric Light and Power Company when he was playing in the street, Camillo Lapaglia, 10 years old, of Baltimore, was fatally injured and died yesterday.

Three appointments, one man and two women, as inspectors of the eight-hour law, recently passed by Congress, limiting the time of work for women in the District of Columbia, were made yesterday by the District commissioners. The positions pay $100 a month. The newly appointed inspectors will begin their duties at once. They will visit all the department stores, factories, lunchrooms, offices, and other places in the District, where women are employed, to see that the law is being strictly observed. There were more than 1,000 applicants for the three positions.

There will be no strike of soft coal miners in Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. The referendum vote of the miners is overwhelmingly against striking, it was stated yesterday in Indianapolis, Ind.

SOFT SHELL CRABS—Rammel's.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as the executors of the estate of J. C. Herbert Bryant, (Captain Herbert Bryant), deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present same to the undersigned properly certified, and all persons indebted to the said estate are hereby notified and requested to make prompt settlement with the undersigned.

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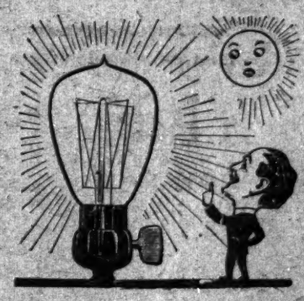

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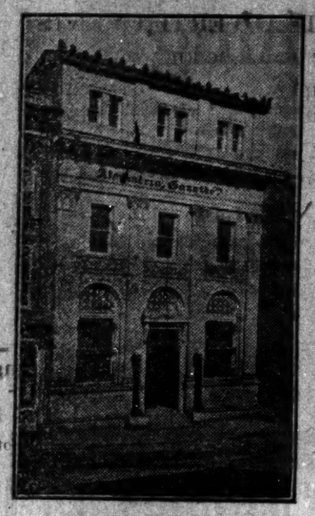

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"HEROES" AND " NEAR HEROES."

A speech sharply critical of those who laud military heroes, was delivered in the House yesterday by Representative Saunders, of Virginia. Mr. Saunders declared that men who participate in battles are no more heroic than the firemen who risk their lives in fires, or the policemen who are placed in jeopardy in times of riot and disorder. He deprecated laudation of military heroes, asserting that this had inspired the martial spirit and forced countries to appropriate large sums for munitions of war.

"Why should you praise men for simply doing their duty in our army and our navy?" asserted Mr. Saunders. "That is what they have been educated for, and for them to do less would be to court disgrace and dishonor."

Mr. Saunders said that "Fighting Bob" Evans was born in a little town in Virginia. "Probably if he had not got the appointment to the Naval Academy he would have been postmaster of Floyd, Va., said the Virginian. Mr. Saunders asserted that many boys were sent to the military academies who probably "could not do well at home."

Mr. Saunders is one of the few men in Congress who fails to see the necessity for the United States building a large navy, and while the Gazette is disposed to agree with Senator Swanson, who believes such an establishment essential to the present importance of our country, we have no disposition to controvert Mr. Saunders' assertions to the contrary. He, however, utters truths in the words quoted above. There has ever been a disposition to place crowns only upon those who have smelt powder, even when, like Job's war horses, it has been sniffed from afar and the progress of battles watched through field glasses.

It was suggested when Admiral Farragut directed the naval battle in Mobile Bay from the foretop of the Hartford it was a new departure, and it was a safer place than the quarter deck of the Victory where Nelson received his fatal wound.

The modern conning tower, away from flying splinters and other menaces to life and climb, is also regarded with favor by aspirants for naval glory.

As Mr. Saunders truly says, there are many heroes in other walks of life who never heard the click of a musket, but who display remarkable nerve in times of imminent danger, although realizing the risk they run.

A certain percentage of people, it seems, are born with stunted instincts so far as self-preservation is concerned, and they may be likened to bulldogs which allow their legs to be cut off before they will relax their grip upon a heifer's throat or a sow's ear.

The true hero, after all, is the man who, with beating heart and quivering flesh, suffering the tortures of fear, faces the music, as he is not only engaged in a conflict with a public enemy, but a terrible battle is going on within him at the same time.

There were many instances during the civil war to show this. On one occasion a detachment of the federal army was attempting to dislodge a band of Confederates who were entrenched upon a hill in Virginia. There was but one way to get at them, and that was by a charge. The command was given, and the federals started up the hill under a shower of bullets. As these messengers of death were whistling uncomfortably near the federal soldiers, a lieutenant on the end of one of the lines was seen to flinch at times, while his face bore indications of anxiety. A corporal close to to the lieutenant smiled and finally said, "Lieutenant, you look scared." "I am," replied the officer, "and if you were half as much scared, you'd run."

We all should applaud the faithful soldier, but Mr. Saunders is right when he suggests that there are others who should not be ignored. During every war men who compose railway train crews are placed in great danger, and during the war between the states it took as much nerve to operate trains in this section of Virginia as to serve in the front ranks during an engagement. Yet many of such faithful and nervy employees went down to their graves with their praises unsung. But others, some of whom served during the last days of the war, or in home guards, have ever since posed as veterans and been of but little use in the years that have followed.

BAZAR AT ELKS' HALL.

Gala Night at Motor Boat Club Carnival Now in Progress.

As announced the total receipts for admissions for next Monday night at the bazar at Elks' Hall will be given to the committee for the benefit of the Alexandria Hospital fund. The National Yacht Club of Washington, has advised the club of its intention to pay a visit to the carnival on Monday night, and a special feature has been arranged for this night.

In response to the demand, the management of the carnival have decided to set aside a certain serial number of books for the purpose of raffling off on a wheel for the motorboat. The winner of the book will have the option of retaining the chances upon the motor boat, or may substitute any article in any other booth in the hall of the same value, or the book, if in any other booth in the hall of the same value, or the book, if intact, may be presented at the place of business of any merchant or business man whose advertisement appears upon any wheel in the hall, and it will be accepted by them as cash in any purchase at a valuation of seventy-five cents. These books can be presented to, and will be accepted by the following named houses: Alexandria Coffee Co., American Dairy Lunch, H. Baader & Sons, H. Bloch, J. Reece Caton, Cameron Dairy Lunch, Central Cafe, Central Garage, William Desmond, S. F. Dyson & Bro., C. S. Elliott, Fleischmann's Hotel, Falstaff Cafe, H. Friendlander, Graham & Ogden, C. W. Howell, R. E. Knight & Son, Kaufmann & Blumenfeld, Kramer Floral Co., H. Noel Lynn, Monroe & Marbury, C. B. Marshall, John D. Normoyle, Old Dominion Cigar Co., F. L. Plitt, J. M. Petitt, Parker Bros., Rammel Hotel, Swan Bros., Saunders & Son, H. W. Wildt & Son, and Weil Bros.

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Vanity case—Miss Mildred Kelly, 23; Mrs. Bertine Entwisle, 42; Miss Carrie Bernheimer, 29; Miss Nellie Schlichting, 11.

Lady's gold watch—Miss Helen Sampson, 21; Miss Louise Lechlider, 7.

Gold bracelet—No. 1.—Miss Helen Corbett, 11; Miss Harriet Spofford, 8.

Gold bracelet, No. 2,—Mrs. Clinton Knight, 56; Miss Margaret McMenamin, 41.

Lavalliere—Miss Helen Davis, 25; Mrs. Irene Eaton, 19.

Ruby ring—Miss Lillian Davis, 12; Miss Schwarzman, 9.

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The land included in this opening is located directly on and adjoining the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, about twenty-five miles west of Brunswick, a thriving city of fifteen thousand, having direct steamship service to New York and Boston, and excellent railroad transportation facilities to all points. The average temperature for six months of the year, from April to October, is 77 degrees; the climate is most healthful, delightful, and invigorating, and there is an ample rainfall of 51 inches per year.

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As we are extremely desirous of having settlers locate on this property, and assist in its development, and thereby greatly increase the value of surrounding and intervening property, which we will hold and to increase the traffic along the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, and thus facilitate the service, we feel warranted in granting these tracts to those who register with us. We also have in mind business and residence plots which we will offer for sale after the opening, but which will not be included in it. We have "money-making afterward" considerations in this liberal-minded opening similar to those of the Northern Pacific and other railroads when they granted their lands, and we expect to benefit thereby, as well as the ones who will receive the tracts.

We have also planned to develop what is designed to be the best equipped, most up-to-date, scientific, commercial farm and orchard in existence. It will consist of six thousand acres and will be included in this opening. All who register and receive tracts will get the benefit of the experiments and scientific methods in vogue thereon. While we are arranging to prevent over-registration, we will avoid many disappointments, such as occurred in other land openings conducted by the United States Government and railroads, by granting those who register in excess of the number of tracts to be granted, an interest in this commercial farm and orchard enterprise, in the hope that they may later locate in one of our town sites.

Examination of the land will be cheerfully permitted, and the opening will be held at Browntown, Wayne county, Georgia, one of the stations of the A. B. & A. Railroad, which is located on this property, and will occur as soon after the closing of registrations as arrangements can be made.

The presence of those registered will not be necessary at Browntown on the opening day, unless they wish to attend, for there will be no favoritism shown any one. It will be conducted by a committee selected for the purpose, and those registered will be notified of what they have been granted, as soon as possible.

With an ever-increasing population of this country there is no corresponding increase in the area of land, and naturally as the population increases and seeks the land in pursuit of health, happiness and independence, it will continue to be harder to secure.

The prosperous and contented class in Europe today are the descendants of those who secured land there when it was plentiful, while the descendants of those who obtained no land are now the peasants and slaves. **You must realize that this may be your last chance to secure land in this country without a large outlay of capital, so it should not be necessary to urge you to act at once by forwarding us the application for registration attached to this announcement.**

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If my application for registration is accepted, please send me without obligation, further and complete information and particulars, including maps of the land, showing its exact location on the Atlanta, Birmingham and Atlantic Railroad, its transportation facilities, agricultural fruit and nut-gorwing possibilities, etc.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 7:47, 9:47, p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a m., daily except Saturday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.

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By virtue of a deed of trust given by William H. Peck and wife, bearing date the 14th day of March, 1908, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in deed book No. 53, page 405, and at the request of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Va default having been made in the payment of the amount thereby secured, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale at public auction, on

SATURDAY, the 2nd DAY OF MAY, 1914, AT 12 O'CLOCK M.,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, all that lot of ground, with improvements thereon, in the said city, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the north side of Queen street, 16 feet west of Payne street, and at the middle of the partition between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the east, and running thence west on Queen street 19 feet 5 inches; thence north, parallel to Payne street, 74 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence east of said alley 19 feet 5 inches; thence south in a direct line, 74 feet to the beginning, with right of way over said alley and all appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash; cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

By virtue of a deed of trust given by William H. Peck and wife, bearing date the 11th day of January, 1908, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 56, Page 461, and at the request of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Virginia, default having been made in the payment of the amount thereby secured, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, the 2nd DAY of MAY, 1914, at 12 O'CLOCK, M.,

in front of the Royal streetn entrance to the Market building, all that lot of ground with the four (4) frame tenements thereon, in the said city and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the west side of Payne street, 13 feet 10 1-2 niches south of Queen street, and running thence south on Payne street 61 feet thence west, parallel to Queen St. 90 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence north of said alley 61 feet; and thence east, in a direct line, 90 feet to the beginning, with right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

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JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

By virtue of a deed of trust given by William H. Peck and wife, bearing date the 1st day of August, 1906, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 55, page 139, and at the request of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default having been made in the payment of the amount thereby secured, the undersigned Trustees will offer for sale, at public auction, on

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in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, all that lot of ground, with improvements thereon, in the said city, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Payne street, 102 feet 8 inches north of Cameron street, and at the middle of the partition between the house on this lot and the house adjoining on the south, and running thence north on Payne street 16 feet; thence east, parallel to Cameron street, 63 feet 2 inches; thence south on an alley 10 feet wide, 16 feet; and thence west, in a direct line, 63 feet 2 inches to the beginning, with right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE:—Cash, cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

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By virtue of a deed of trust given by William H. Peck and wife, bearing date the 1st day of August, 1906, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 55, Page 137, and at the request of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association, No. 5, of Alexandria, Va., default having been made in the payment of the amount thereby secured, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale, at public auction, on

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in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, all that lot of ground with improvements thereon, in the said city, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Payne street, 86 feet 8 inches, north of Cameron street and running thence north on Payne street 16 feet; thence east parallel to Cameron street, 63 feet 2 inches to an alley 10 feet wide; thence south on said alley 16 feet; and thence west in a direct line, 63 feet 2 inches to the beginning, with right of way over the said alley and all appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash; cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
Trustees.

By of a deed of trust given by William H. Peck and wife, bearing date the 2nd day of October, 1906, and duly of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 54, Page 461, and at the request of the Board of Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5, of Alexandria, Virginia, default having been made in the payment of the amount thereby secured, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale, at public auction, on

SATURDAY, the 2nd DAY OF MAY, 1914, at 12 O'CLOCK M.,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market building, all that lot of ground with the two (2) frame buildings thereon, in said city, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Payne street, 76 feet 7 inches south of Queen street, and running thence south on Payne street 117 feet 11 inches; thence east parallel to Queen street, 63 feet 2 inches to an alley; thence north 17 feet 11 inches; thence east 16 feet 10 inches to an alley 10 feet wide; thence north of said alley 100 feet; and thence west, in a direct line 80 feet to the beginning, with right of way over both alleys and all appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash; cost of conveyancing at the expense of the purchaser.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE,
P. M. BRADSHAW,
16 t d s Trustees.

In the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, continued and held at the Courthouse of said city on Thursday, April 9th, 1914.

Present, Hon. Louis C. Barley, Judge.

Annie V. Throckmorton Downey, Complainant,
Vs.
Elsworth W. Downey, Defendant.
IN CHANCERY.

An affidavit having been duly made, as required by law, that the defendant is a non-resident of the State of Virginia, and that he cannot be found within the jurisdiction of this state, and the sergeant having made a return upon the original process or summons. That the defendant is a non-resident of his bailiwick, and application having been duly made in open court for an order of publication against said defendant to appear and answer a bill in chancery filed by the complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruetly and wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and an order of publication having been duly granted in open court, it is therefore ordered that said defendant do appear here within fifteen days after due publication hereof to answer the suit of complainant against the defendant for an absolute divorce on the grounds of cruelty and wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and to do what may be necessary to protect his interest in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in Alexandria City, Virginia, and that a copy be sent by registered mail by the clerk to this court to the last known place of address, residence and abode of defendant, to-wit. on Washington street, Wilkesbarre, Pennsylvania, as stated in the application for this order of publication which shall be certified by the clerk to this court, and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this court on or before the next rule day of this court.

A Copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
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When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy unsurpassed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elida, Ohio, says, "Ever since my daughter Ruth was cured of a severe cold and cough by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt kindly disposed toward the manufacturers of that preparation. I know of nothing so quick to relieve a cough or cure a cold." For sale by all dealers.

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N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 403 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

10:57 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping car from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham, Dining car service. ourist to California daily.

3:52 P. M.—Week day. Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, also for Warrenton. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:12 P. M.—Except Sunday—Local for warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's Southeastern Limited, for Asheville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullman Drawing room sleeping cars, coaches, dining cars.

11:02 A. M.—Daily—Atlanta Special. Solid Pullman train, sleeping cars to Asheville, Charlotte, Atlanta and Macon. Dining Car Service.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York, and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and Observation cars to New Orleans. Dining Car Service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooka, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

For detailed schedule, figures, tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20 2 35, 3 00, 3 20, 3 35, 3 50, 4 10, 4 25, 4 30, 4 40, 4 55, 5 10, 5 25 5 35, 5 50, 6 05, 6 20, 6 30, 6 45, 7 00, 7 15, 7 30, 8 00 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10, 11 55.

Sundays and Holidays.

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P. M.—12 20, 12 40, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 30, 11 10.

Leave Alexandria For Mount Vernon.

A. M.—Week Days—5 35, 6 46, 7 56, 8 56, 10 30, 11 30, —P M.—12 30, 1 30, 2 30, 3 30, 4 40, 5 35, 6 30, 7 35, 8 50, 9 50, 10 50, 11 50.

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OFFICE OF CLERK OF GAS.
City Hall, April 24, 1914.
SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office addressed to Jno. T. Harrison, Chairman, Committee on Light, until 8 P. M., Tuesday, May 5, 1914 for furnishing the Gas Works with five thousand tons, more or less, of gas coal (2,240 pounds to the ton) to be delivered on trestle at Gas Works, Alexandria, Virginia, during the fiscal year commencing June 1st, 1914, and ending May 31st, 1915, orders to be accepted by the successful bidders any date after awarding contract, so that coal will arrive at works on or before June 1, 1914.
The coal must be Monogah, Tyconal, Youghiogheny, Montana, Westmoreland, Fairmount, Lincoln, or other gas coal of equal or superior yield and candle power and must be 3-4 screened Bidders can give their figures on all of the mines and are required to give candle power yield and analysis per ton.
In routing coal bidder must ship by Southern Railway, provided, however, that rates are not in excess of competing lines rendering similar service.
The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Terms:—Cash on 15th day of each month following the delivery of coal.
By order of Committee on Light.
24 3t. J. B. WALLER,
Clerk of Gas.

City Hall, April 24, 1914.
Sealed Proposals addressed to Jno. T. Harrison, Chairman of the Committee on Light, will be received at this office until 8 P. M., Tuesday, May 5, 1914, for the entire out put of Coal Gas Tar of the City Gas Works during the next fiscal year, Commencing June 1, 1914, and ending May 31, 1915. Bidders must agree to keep the tar in the well at all times below the outlet of the overflow pipe.
Terms: Settlement must be made on the 15th of the month following the delivery of tar.
The successful bidder must enter into contract with the Committee on Light for the faithful compliance with the above provisions. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
By order of the Committee on Light.
24 3t. J. B. WALLER,
Clerk of Gas.

PUBLIC HEARING—Draw bridge Regulations—A public hearing will be held at 735 Southern Building, Washington, D. C., at 10 A. M., May 11, 1914, to consider the advisability of modifying the existing rules and regulations for opening the draws in the Pennsylvania Railroad and Highway Bridges across the Potomac River at Washington, D. C. Further information upon application. C. W. KUTZ, Major, Corps of Engineers. 15

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NOTICE.
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Proposals for ditching Fort Washington, Md., April 23, 1914, Sealed proposals for digging and grading approximately 3,900 feet of ditches and wasting the earth therefrom will be received until 12 M., May 5, 1914, and then opened. Information furnished on application. Envelope containing proposals should be indorsed "proposals for ditching" and addressed to Quartermaster. 23 6t.

Hard shell crabs at Rammers.

AT THE CHURCHES.
At Trinity Methodist Church tomorrow the Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor, will preach on "Thomas the Doubter Satisfied," at the 11:00 a. m. service, and at the 7:30 p. m. service on "John Wesley-God's Witness." At the evening service, preceding the sermon, there will be a song service.

Tomorrow at the First Baptist Church at 11 a. m. the Rev. W. F. Watson, D. D. pastor, will preach his sermon on "The Life Here," and and at 7:45 p. m., on "The Life Hereafter."

Rev. C. R. Strausburg, who has been to Frederick, Ind., owing to a death in the family, has returned to this city, and will conduct the services in the Methodist Protestant Church tomorrow. The services will be held at 11 a. m., and at 8 p. m. Christian Endeavor service will be held at 7:45 p. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and Bible Class 9:30 p. m., Rev. C. R. Strausburg teacher. Mid-week service will be held Wednesday at 8 p. m.

At the Second Presbyterian Church there will be preaching by the pastor, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School will be held at 9:30 a. m., and Men's Bible Class in the Westminster Building at 10 a. m. The men's meeting at 3:30 in the afternoon will be addressed by a representative of the Labor Union, who will speak on "Church and Labor."

At the Second Baptist Church tomorrow the pastor, the Rev. O. W. Triplett, will preach at 11 a. m. and at 7.45 p. m. Sunday school will be held at 9:30 a. m.

Christ Church.
Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church.
Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

St. Paul's Church.
Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Holy communion at 7:30 a. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.
Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Services 11:00 A. M., and 7:30 P. M.
Young men's service in Westminster Building at 3:30 o'clock.

Lutheran Church.
Rev. C. F. Brandt, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Methodist Episcopal Church South
Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League services at 7:00 p. m. Services and sermon at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.
Rev. C. R. Strausburg, pastor Services at 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Christian Endeavor 6:45.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church
Rev. G. A. Luttrell, pastor. Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church.
Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11:00 A. M., and 7:45 P. M.

Second Baptist Church.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. George K. Bender, superintendent Services and sermon at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.

Infant Baptist Church, 1014 Prince street, Rev. A. T. Lynn, pastor. Services and preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

Catholic Church—Mass Sunday at 7 o'clock; children's mass, 9 o'clock. Sunday School 9:30. Late mass and sermon 10:30. Baptism, 3:30. Evening service and benediction at 4 Mass every Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at Mt. Ida (St. Rita's chapel.) Sunday school 2:30 p. m.

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In the Circuit Court for the City of Alexandria, Virginia.
Orren G. Staples, who sues in his own right as a creditor, and as owner of the defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, and for one half of all creditors and bond holders of the said defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, who may come in and make themselves parties to this suit and contribute to the costs thereof.
Complainant—Vs.
The Emerson Steam Pump Company, a corporation; and the United States Trust Company of District of Columbia, a corporation, Trustees, Defendants.
IN CHANCERY.
To Orren G. Staples, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, a corporation, the United States Trust Company, of the District of Columbia, a corporation, Trustees; and to the creditors and bondholders of the Emerson Steam Pump Company, a corporation; and all other parties who may be interested in this suit.
Take notice that I have fixed Tuesday, the 2nd day of June, 1914, at 10 o'clock A. M., at my office, 128 S. Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, as the time and place when I will proceed to execute the decree rendered on the 21st day of April, 1914, by the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, in a certain chancery cause therein depending, wherein Orren G. Staples, who sues, etc., is the complainant; and the Emerson Pump Company, a corporation; and the United States Trust Company, of the District of Columbia, a corporation, Trustee, are the defendants; by the terms of which decree I am directed to inquire, ascertain and report to the said court upon the matters following, to-wit:
First. All liens by deed of trust, mortgage, judgments, or otherwise upon the property, real, personal and mixed, of the defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, with respective priorities.
Second. The number and amount of the bonds issued by the defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, secured by the deed of trust of mortgage dated July 1st, 1907, exhibited with the bill of complaint in this cause, and the number and amount of said bonds negotiated or sold by the said defendant and by whom the same are now owned and held respectively; and the amount of the interest matured and past due upon the said bonds respectively, and the present owners and holders of the coupons representing the accrued and past due interest upon said bonds respectively.
Third. All creditors of the said defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, and the amount of their claims respectively, whether secured or unsecured, and the order of their priority.
Fourth. All the estate, real, personal and mixed of the said defendant, The Emerson Steam Pump Company, a description thereof, its location, whether in the State of Virginia or elsewhere; and all notes, bills, acceptances, choses in action and accounts receivable of the said defendant, and in whose possession the same are held, and by whom the same is owing, to the said defendant, including all property, real, personal or mixed, acquired by the said defendant to the execution and recordation of the said deed of trust or mortgage, and where situated.
Fifth. Any other matter or thing which the said special commissioner may deem pertinent, or which any part of this cause may require the said Special Commissioner to report.
Sixth. The said Special Commissioner before proceeding to execute this decree shall give thirty days notice of the time and place of the execution thereof by publication in the Alexandria Gazette.
And at same time and place named and at such adjournments as may be then or thereafter had, the parties to this cause and all others interested therein are directed to appear and submit testimony relative to such claims, or to such other matters or things as may be desired to have presented to the court in this cause.
H. NOEL GARNER,
25 30d. Special Commissioner.

Fifty-nine Italian soldiers were killed and thirty-nine wounded yesterday when a supply train was attacked by 400 Arabs. The native lost 102 killed.

Notice of Meeting.
NOTICE.
Office of the Lanston Monotype Co., Philadelphia, Pa., April 15, 1914.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Lanston Monotype Machine Company will be held at the Elks' Home, corner Prince and Royal streets, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1914, for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.
Transfer books will be closed on April 27th at 4 o'clock P. M., and will be reopened on May 12th, at 10 o'clock A. M.
By order of the Board of Directors.
W. ARTHUR SELLMA,
20 16t. Secretary.

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To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:
Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the By-Laws of the Company the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on Monday the 27th day of April, 1914, at the principal office of the Company, 111 South Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.
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2. To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.
EDWARD RUHL, Secretary.
Boston, April 7, 1014.

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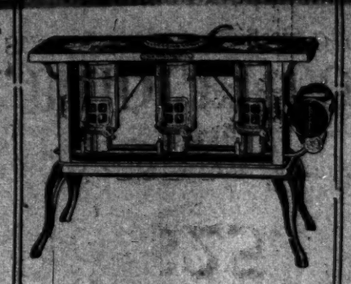

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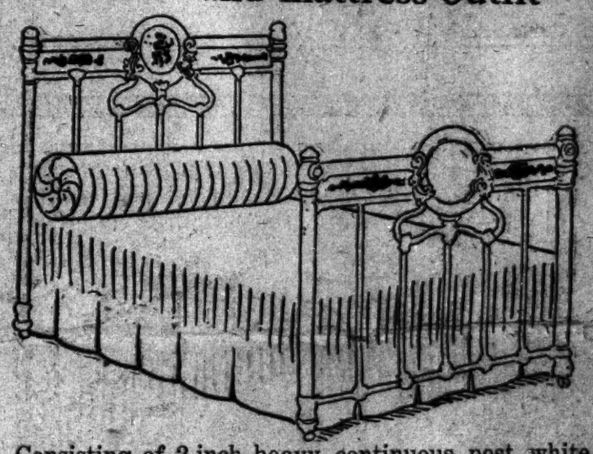

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ASKED REBELS TO AID.

Federal Commander Sends Appeal to Constitutionalists, But Meet Curt Refusal.

Douglas, Ariz., April 25. — The text of telegrams in which Gens. Joaquin Tellez Federal commander of the port of Guaymas, invited the rebel general, Alvaro Obregon to join forces against the Americans was made public Thursday by Francisco S. Elias, border representative of the constitutionalists. Tellez telegraphed as follows:

"Contrary to law and order American troops disembarked Thursday at Vera Cruz and opened battle. The moment has arrived when our own difficulties should be forgotten in the common defense of the fatherland. I now call upon yo uand your troops to unite with us in a concreted effort in behalf of our nation. I await your answer in order to know how to act."

To this Obregon replied:

"The abominable crime which the traitor and assassin Huerta has just committed against the Mexican nation in deliberately provoking foreign invasion cannot be given a name of from the pages of civilized history. The constitutionalist army, which is the only faction which properly represents the dignity of the Mexican nation, will protest against such deeds as Huerta is now committing.

"If the Americans should insist upon invasion without first giving General Carranza the hearing due him from President Wilson, then it will be time for the constitutionalist army to struggle until all our forces are exhausted against such an invasion, saving in this manner the national honor and dignity. This you can never do, because you have already trampled them under foot. We cannot unite with your corrupt army. Should you be attacked in your port at Guayamas by American vessels and be defeated, as is usual with you, you will be permitted to retire to a designated spot until the first chief instructs us what disposition to make of you."

TRYING TO SAVE LEO M. FRANK.

Affidavits Submitted Fix Murder of Girl on Negro.

Atlanta, Ga., April 25.—Three affidavits fixng the guilt for the murder of Mary Phagan upon James Conley, negro factory sweeper, were submitted in the Superior Court yesterday by attorneys for Leo M. Frank, under death sentence for the murder, in connection with a motion for a new trial on newly discovered evidence. Hearings on the motion began Thursday and are expected to continue for several days.

Two affidavits, signed by the Rev. C. B .Ragsdale, pastor of a local church, and R. L. Barber, allege that the affiants while on the streets here several days after the murder heard a negro confess to another negro that he had killed Mary Phagan. Barber in his affidavit further alleges that he recognized the negro who is alleged thus to have confessed as James Conley. The third affidavit is by Annie M. Starter, a negress, who alleges Conley confessed to her that he had committed the murder.

Conley was the principal witness against Frank at the latter's trial, and is serving one year's imprisonment upon conviction as an accessory after the fact.

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NOTICE.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Real Estate Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Monday, May 4, 1914, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers and other business.

THOS. FEATHERSTONHAUGH, President.

A. S. Jones, Secty.